

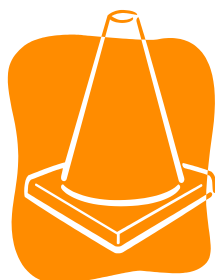
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TAMC CONE ZONE REPORT

ROAD AND LANE CLOSURES SCHEDULED FOR DEC. 11 – DEC. 18

MONTEREY COUNTY – Here are the major scheduled road and lane closures for the areas between Salinas and North Monterey County from **Sunday, December 4**, through **Sunday, December 11** – **newest information is in red.**

Prunedale Improvement Project: December 11 – December 18

- **Night work on HWY 101 between Mallory Canyon Rd. and Echo Valley Rd. will close one lane in each direction between the hours of 7:30 p.m. and 6 a.m. each night from Monday, December 12, through Wednesday, December 14.**
 - **This work will also close the entrance to Echo Valley Rd.**
 - **Motorists will use Tustin Rd. to get to Echo Valley Rd.**
- **More night work will close one southbound lane on HWY 101 from just south of Espinosa Rd. to Ralph Lane on Monday, December 12, and Tuesday, December 13, between the hours of 7:30 p.m. and 6 a.m.**

Highway 1 to Highway 68: December 11 – December 18

- **There will be a night closure on the Highway 68 connector to southbound Highway 1, and the northbound Highway 1 off ramp to eastbound Highway 68, from Monday, December 12, through Thursday, December 15, between the hours of 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.**
 - **A detour is available via Casa Verde.**
- **Daytime work will close the Highway 68 connector to southbound Highway 1, and the northbound Highway 1 offramp to eastbound Highway 68 from Tuesday, December 13, through Thursday, December 15, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.**
 - **A detour is available via Casa Verde.**
- **Furthermore, there will be a daytime lane closure on Highway 68 near Toro Park, from Tuesday, December 13, through Thursday, December 15, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and on Friday, December 16, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

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Soil Remediation at Kern and Market in Salinas: November – December

- The City of Salinas began a soil remediation project at the Kern/Market intersection that may impact the Kern/U.S. 101 northbound off-ramp near the In-and-Out Burger Restaurant.
 - **Work is expected to be completed December 22.**

Highway 1 Barrier Improvements: November 2011 – March 2012

- A 14-mile project to install metal beam guardrail and make concrete barrier improvements along Hwy. 1 from Trafton Road in Monterey County to just north of 41st Avenue in Santa Cruz.
 - Project will result in overnight alternating lane closures Mondays through Fridays from 9 pm to 6 am.
 - Minimal delays are anticipated.
 - Roadwork is expected to be completed by March 2012, weather permitting.

Carmel Valley Road Overlay Project: November – December

- Monterey County road construction project on Carmel Valley Road from Dorris Drive to Rancho Fiesta, which will go through the end of December.
 - Work is from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 - There will be some lane closures;
 - Traffic controls will be in place,
 - Expect five minute delays.

Highway 68: November – December

- Monterey County Public Works continues its work along HWY 68 and San Benancio, which will go on until December 2011. This work is being done during the day; drivers should be alert. Most work will be done behind the concrete barriers that are set up, but minor delays can be expected.

Please drive safely and exercise caution in the construction zones.

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